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1. YUN Kuang-ying (雲廣英), who has been Secretary-General of the Kwangtung Government, has been appointed deputy chairman of the Central and South China Area Land Reform Committee by order of the Government in Peiping. His position of Secretary-General of the Kwangtung Government was assigned to FANG Fang, Vice Chairman of the Kwangtung Government. YUN has also vacated the post of deputy chairman of the Kwangtung Land Reform Committee. This position has been assigned to LI Chien-chen (李堅貞), member of the Central and South China Political and Administrative Committee and active in women's organizations.\*
2. Public Security police in Canton are paying especial attention to persons classified as "special" residents.\*\* There are about 47,000 such persons registered in Canton.

3. 8,012 persons had been arrested in South Fukien, as a result of the land reform program initiated late in 1950, as follows:

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a. Chaoan (117-12, 23-44) - 845.

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- e. Pingho (117-02, 24-14) - 733.
- f. Changpu (117-35, 24-06) - 789.
- g. Nanching (117-31, 24-35) - 1,548.
- h. Changtai (117-49, 24-36) - 385.
- i. Changchou (117-42, 24-32) - 2,000.

Of those arrested about 2,000 have been killed secretly [ ]

- 4. [ ] land reform in 42 hsien in Fukien had been completed, and the entire program was expected to be completed for East Fukien by the end of March. The possessions and property of about 300 wealthy families of East Fukien had been seized by early February.
- 5. A large number of wealthy land owners in the Foochow area have been tried in People's Courts.
- 6. [ ] the training program of the East China Military Area Command, Public Security Headquarters, had graduated 15,000 persons. Graduates with good educational backgrounds have been assigned to special units to conduct investigations in every residence. The remaining graduates have been placed in regular units under the Public Security Headquarters in Shanghai.
- 7. [ ] several hundred landlords, intellectuals, and civil servants in Anhwei and Kiangsu were executed on charges of being Nationalist sympathizers. As a result 800,000 persons had fled to Shanghai; a few of the very rich fled to Hong Kong.

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\*\* Comment. This "special" resident probably refers to arrivals in Canton since the census started [ ]

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